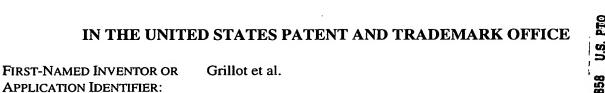
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## REQUEST FOR FILING A NEW NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

| This is     | is is a request for filing a new nonprovisional application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b). |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |  |  |
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| $\boxtimes$ | Specific                                                                              | cation and Drawings (Total pages: 113); cation (80 pages); Claims (32 pages); Abstract (1 page); and gs: sheets; FIGS Formal Informal                                                                                                                                              |  |  |
| $\boxtimes$ | Declara                                                                               | ution and Power of Attorney Unsigned Signed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |  |  |
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|             | Assign:                                                                               | nent Papers  Recordation Form Cover Sheet (PTO–1595)  Assignment Document                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |  |
|             | Statemo                                                                               | chet Claiming Small Entity Status  Claiming Small Entity As Independent Inventor (37 C.F.R. §§1.9(f) & 1.27(b)).  Claiming Small Entity As Small Business Concern (37 C.F.R. §§1.9(f) & 1.27(c)).  Claiming Small Entity As Nonprofit Organization (37 C.F.R. §§1.9(f) & 1.27(d)). |  |  |
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#### 7. Fee Calculation

| CLAIMS AS FILED                                         |                 |                        |                 |          |                                                   |  |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------|----------|---------------------------------------------------|--|
| Claims                                                  | Number<br>Filed | Basic Fee<br>Allowance | Number<br>Extra | Rate     | <b>Basic Fee</b><br>37 C.F.R. 1.16(a)<br>\$740.00 |  |
| Total Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))                        | . 56            | - 20 =                 | 36              | \$ 18.00 | \$648.00                                          |  |
| Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))                  | 4               | - 3 =                  | 1               | \$80.00  | \$80.00                                           |  |
| Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d)) | 1               |                        |                 | \$280.00 | \$280.00                                          |  |
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